

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

San Gabriel Transit, Inc., a California corporation,  
dba City Cab Company,

Complainant,

vs.

Titan Capital Corp., dba Valley Cab & Valley  
Transportation Car & Limousine Service; East  
Valley Transportation, LLC; West Valley  
Transportation, LLC; Avetik Sarkissian, an  
individual; Brad Gunches, an individual; and  
DOES 1-25, inclusive,

Defendants.

Case 01-10-012  
(Filed October 10, 2001)

**ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE'S RULING  
DENYING MOTION FOR DEFAULT JUDGMENT  
AND GRANTING MOTION TO LATE FILE ANSWER**

Complainant requests entry of a default judgment against defendants on grounds that they failed to file an answer within 30 days of the date of service of the complaint, as required by Rule 13 of the Rules of Practice and Procedure. On December 19, 2001, counsel for certain of the defendants named in the complaint requested an extension to December 21, 2001, to file an answer. The answer, dated December 20, was mailed to the Commission on December 21, 2001. Counsel for defendants stated that personal service of the complaint had not been effected on at least one of his clients until November 26, 2001.

**IT IS RULED** that:

1. The motion for entry of a default judgment at this time is denied.
2. The request by counsel for certain of the defendants to late file an answer is granted.
3. Counsel for defendants is directed to file an original and seven copies of defendants' answer to the Commission's Docket Office, pursuant to Rule 2.5 of the Rules of Practice and Procedure.
4. Complainant's request for a cease and desist order is deferred until after hearing.
5. Following telephone consultation with counsel, a hearing in this matter will be scheduled promptly in Los Angeles.

Dated January 4, 2002, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ GLEN WALKER  
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Glen Walker  
Administrative Law Judge

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I certify that I have by mail this day served a true copy of the original attached Administrative Law Judge's Ruling Denying Motion for Default Judgment and Granting Motion to Late File Answer on all parties of record in this proceeding or their attorneys of record.

Dated January 4, 2002, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ KRIS KELLER

Kris Keller

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